

Four Hancock County Couples Receive Formal Invitations To Inaugural Ball

Formal invitations have been received by fifteen couples in the State of Mississippi to attend the inauguration, Inaugural Ball and all inauguration festivities for President Eisenhower and Vice-President Nixon in Washington, D. C. on January 21. Of the fifteen couples in the state, four are residents of Bay St. Louis, Miss. Mr. and Mrs. Leo W. Seal, Mr. and Mrs. Dan M. Russell, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Gregory, and Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Weir are the couples invited, and all of whom have accepted and plan to attend, except Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Gregory.

The entire state group plan to leave for Washington on the 17 of this month to arrive there on the 18, when the festivities will begin. Mr. E. O. Spencer of Jackson, Miss., chairman of the "Citizens for Eisenhower in Miss.," is making arrangements for a couple of Pullman coaches for the Mississippi group. Headquarters for the Mississippi group will be at the Blackstone Hotel, where reservations have already been made.

There will be a number of pre-inaugural activities beginning on the 18, and daily thereafter until the 21 when the inauguration will be staged during the day, and the Inaugural Ball the evening of the 21, which will terminate the program.

BLUE CRUTCH SALE SAT. AIDS MARCH OF DIMES

The March of Dimes annual drive opens Saturday with Blue Crutch Day.

Junior and senior members of the American Legion Auxiliary will handle the sale of miniature blue-crutches throughout the Bay St. Louis area, under the direction of Mrs. Lucas Pucheu and Mrs. V. J. Piazza.

Proceeds of the day will be turned over to the Hancock County March of Dimes chairman, Mrs. Theo Tidbury.

Mrs. Tidbury sounded a call for volunteers to join an army of police workers to handle "the mailing of dime cards, collection kits as well as other fund raising tasks." A telephone call to 857-5111 will help make the drive "the best Hancock County has ever had," Mrs. Tidbury said.

Promoted to Pfc.

Jerold Pieron, whose wife, Joyce, lives at 1227 Avenue O, Galveston, Tex., recently was promoted to private first class in Germany, where he is a member of the 11th Airborne Division.

SINGIN' SIMS...



Former Bay St Louis Man Hits Top With Blues Disk

Dempsey Sims, a 24-year-old former Bay St. Louis resident who now lives in Brookville, Indiana, has just received the greatest news of his highest dreams. His own country songs, "Blue Eyed Baby" and "Blues Tomorrow" have been recorded on the East's label of Hamilton, Ohio.

At an early age in life he purchased his first guitar by selling garden seeds. On his first musical instrument he soon learned to pick out a few tunes. Later he traded the guitar for a bicycle in which he rode for miles to a cotton field to earn enough money so he might advance his adventure into the musical world. By studying instruction books and pointers from friends he soon arose in popularity in his home town of Evergreen, Ala. The late Hank Williams, who grew up near Evergreen, gave a spark of admiration and ambition to young Sims.

After enlisting in the Army he was sent to Camp Atterbury, Indiana. As busy as a soldier often finds himself, Sims still found time for his guitar and the musical world. While stationed at Camp Atterbury he bought another guitar and an army St. Louis.

HANCOCK SHY IN \$235 RED CROSS RELIEF DRIVE

A \$25 donation to the Hancock County American Red Cross' Hungarian Relief drive by Juniors Red Cross members helped the contributions to \$126, over a \$100 shy of the quota.

The local chapter has set a goal of \$235 as a part of the nation's \$5,000,000 drive.

"The tragic suffering of the people of Hungary has caused every American to want to send help," Roland E. Harriman, national president, said.

Donors may mail or take their contributions directly to the Red Cross Office, Court House, Bay St. Louis.

Parker said the Commission operates three truck and tractor units, three look-out towers with three men per crew, and also said that each unit and tower has two-way radios which help speed information.

Parker listed the following telephone numbers for reporting forest fires: Rock Hill Fire Tower, Bay St. Louis 8100; Westside Fire Tower, Logtown 2338; and named his Bay St. Louis telephone numbers of 81-1 and 125.

WAVELAND MANDE'S IN PARADE

A Waveland man, Mande' Lewis, 21, was killed late Friday night while watching a house fire burn his home.

William T. Turner, a vice-president of the New Orleans Railway System at New Orleans, was pronounced dead at 11:30 Saturday morning after he was struck while he and his wife watched a large grass fire at South Waveland.

Funeral services were held Saturday evening at 5 o'clock at Pahey Funeral Home and will be staged for Monday morning at Springhill Cemetery in Vicksburg, Va.

A native of Richmond, Va., Turner was a vice-president of Southern Railway at New Orleans from 1939 until 1953, he retired.

He held various positions on the railroad previously in Birmingham and Norfolk, Va., Birmingham, and Washington, where he served as freight traffic manager before transferring to New Orleans.

Turner is survived by his widow, the former Clara Adams, a daughter, Miss Lucy Turner of Waveland, and his brother, Robert K. Turner of Richmond.

Sheriff Sylvan J. Ladner investigated the incident.

12 Men On Fire Fighting Duty 24 Hours

Twelve men, aided by two-way radios and three truck and tractor units, are on duty 24 hours a day for the protection of Hancock County timberland. Marion Parker, area forester, announced.

The Mississippi Forestry

Commission hired these men for

a period of five months each

month—beginning in Nov.—

and they include Alcide Nacaise,

Sylvester Nacaise, Norwell Ne-

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A/3 JOHN L. GONZALEZ, who has completed basic training at Lackland Air Force Base, San Antonio, Texas, and will be sta-

tioned at Alexandria, La., as a
club typist. Gonzales, a 1956

graduate of Bay High, spent the

Christmas holidays with his par-

ents, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Gon-

zales.

LIGHTING CONTEST WINNERS HONORED

Presentation of awards were scheduled to be made Thursday night by the Bay-Waveland Garden Club to the winners of the Christmas Lighting contest held last week.

Winners included Mrs. Charles Goncalves, Mrs. Dan Russell, Mrs. Leroy Lake, Mrs. C. Ward, Mrs. Freda Kieffer, and Mrs. Joseph Favre, 610 Hancock St., who was inadvertently omitted in last week's *Sea Coast Echo* write-up.

Mrs. Favre was awarded the honor of the most attractive outdoor living tree.

The most beautiful girls were

the most impressive were Hancock County, that he said he will again visit here this summer.

Others making the pilgrimage were Mrs. Charles Goncalves, Mrs. Freda Kieffer, Mrs. C. Ward, Mrs. Dan Russell, Mrs. Leroy Lake, Mrs. C. Ward, Mrs. Freda Kieffer, and Mrs. Joseph Favre, 610 Hancock St., who was inadvertently omitted in last week's *Sea Coast Echo* write-up.

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A Busy 1956 Points Toward Big Developments in 1957

In Business . . .

Records Fall; Boom Continues

By WALTER BREDEE JR.

NEW YORK (AP)—"Soft spots" popped up in the economy in 1956 but total business activity smashed all prior records. All signs indicated it would thrust still higher in 1957.

There were two main forces behind the boom. One was the record rate of spending by business firms on new factories, new machines and new equipment. The other was the record rate of spending by Mr. and Mrs. John Q. Consumer on necessities and luxuries of many kinds.

Wage boosts and record employment powered the consumer spending spurge.

Consumers' buying habits in 1956 took a new twist, however, and it was this changed pattern that accounted in part for "soft spots" here and there. People spent less on automobiles, television sets, home appliances and bought fewer homes; but they spent more on food, clothes, gasoline, entertainment, medical services, education and travel.

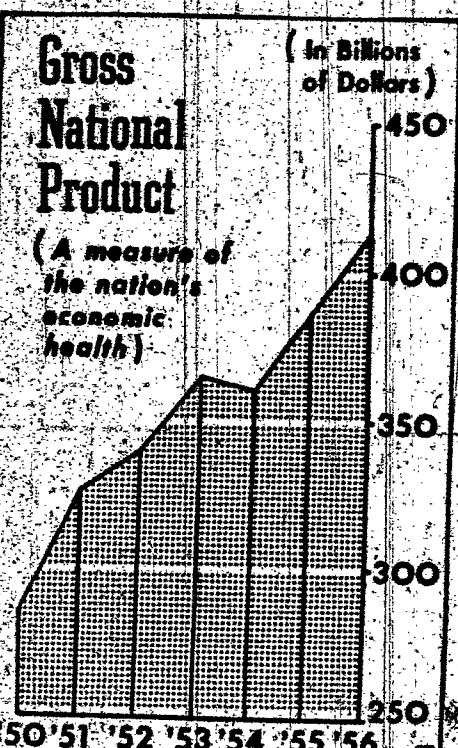
The result was more over-all spending, but less in some fields.

Housing Slowdown

"Tight credit" was blamed by some economists for slowing down the housing boom. It will unquestionably influence business trends in the year ahead. Bankers and industrialists were pretty well agreed that the pinch on credit would probably get worse before it got better.

The tight credit policy of the Federal Reserve Board was described by banking experts as unpleasant but effective medicine for the economy's inflationary ills. Its most vividly apparent outward sign was the rise in interest rates.

Another big "if" in 1956 was the tangled foreign situation. War jitters in the Middle East and the blocking of the Suez



Canal posed difficult problems for many businessmen.

Uncertainties over "tight" money and a potentially explosive international situation had a resounding impact on Wall Street. Stock prices eased back from previous peaks. Traders wondered if the great postwar bull market had finally run its course, or was getting set for another long rise.

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1956—Big Year For Trials, Storms, Deaths in Hancock

JANUARY

Mrs. Caroline Snedeker, Famous Author, Dies

Little Mary Linda Thornton was born four seconds after midnight at King's Daughters hospital, one of the first babies of 1956 in the nation. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard S. Thornton. . . Jan. 22, Mrs. Caroline Dale Snedeker, noted writer and painter, and Doubleday's oldest author, died. . . A \$30,000 fire razed Hancock county's lone rice field. . . Other fire during month raced through 2,600 acres of Hancock county timber.

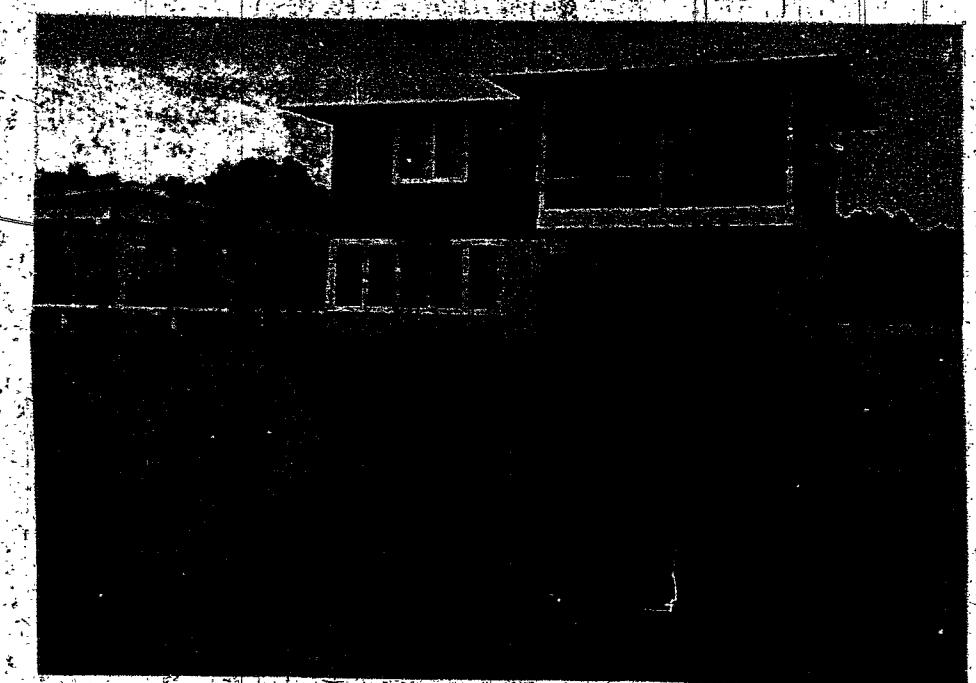


DALE MORRIS smiles with his son while awaiting jury's decision in first murder trial.

FEBRUARY

Mr. and Mrs. Lazano Rule SJA Carnival Ball

Mrs. Gabriella Cuevas Hale, born Feb. 5, 1861, the last descendant of the Spanish Grandee, Don Juan Cuevas, celebrated her 95th birthday. She died Oct. 22, 1956. . . Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lazano ruled St. Joseph Academy's 23rd annual Carnival Ball. . . Miss Rose Ann Kingston and Gerald Favre led 14-float Mardi Gras parade.

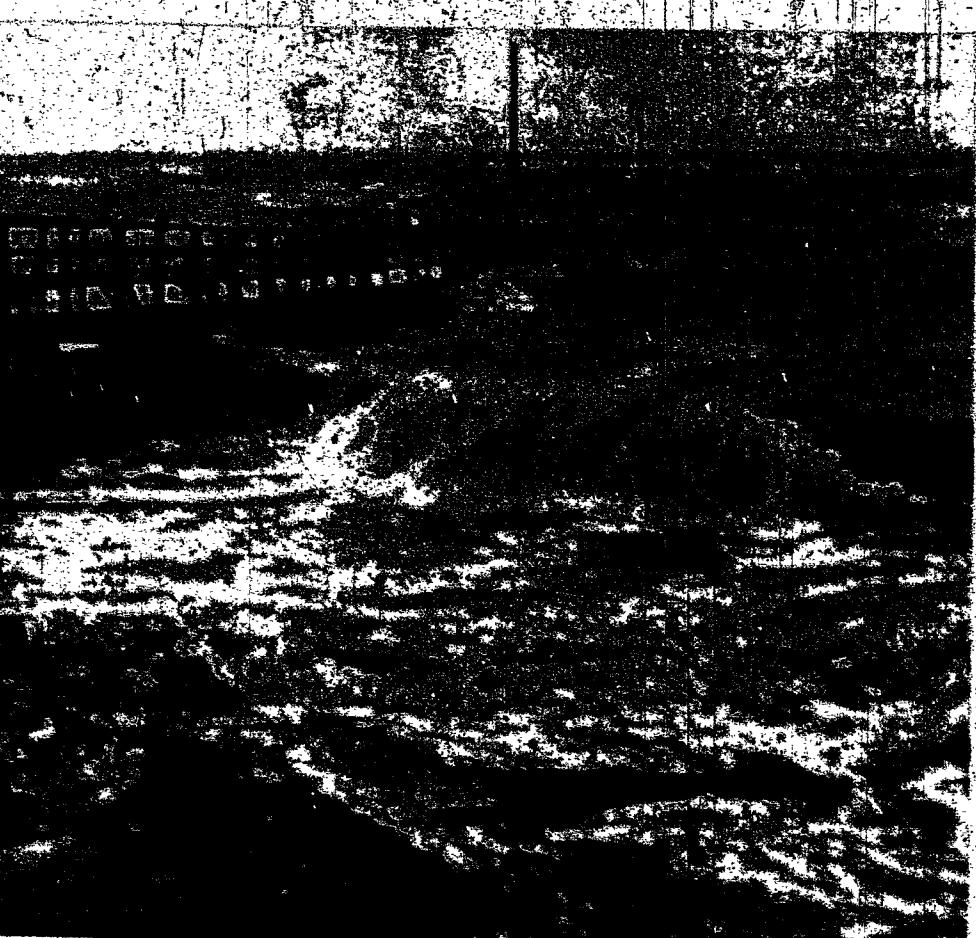


A HOUSE at the intersection of N. Beach Blvd. and N. Second St. is flooded during storm.

MARCH

Frank Kellar Fatally Shot: Dale Morris in Mis-trial

Five Hancock county youths confessed 21 burglaries as Sheriff Sylvan J. Ladner Jr., gave warning of a 10 p.m. curfew if teenage gangs didn't cease. . . Warren Trapp defeated George Heitzmann by 18 votes, 703-685, in runoff election for City Commissioner, filling unexpired term vacated by Sheriff Ladner. . . Montana cowboy Dale Morris was saved from Mississippi's lethal much publicized murder trial. . . Morris was indicted for Nov. 9, 1955, slaying of Charles Flink on Hwy. 90. . . John Frank Kellar, president of Hancock county Board of Supervisors, was killed in a hunting accident when a Picayune teen-ager mistook him for wild game.



HURRICANE FLOSSY shows she's no lady as Hancock County coast line is battered by waves.

APRIL

Two Alabama Youths Pull Robbery of Hwy. 90 Station

Over 400 Hancock county 4-H members attended rally April 6 at AIG Theatre. . . Two 15 year-old Birmingham, Ala., boys were apprehended April 18 in a two-state man-hunt, after taking \$23.00 from Maskev's Service Station on Hwy. 90. They were caught by bloodhounds near St. Louis, La. . . Over 300 attended Ninth District American Legion and Auxiliary meeting April 21, 22 at Hotel Reed. Lucien Kidd elected Commander. . . Paul S. Soldini, 30-year-old Waveland man, killed in April 20 automobile smash-up on Waveland Road.



MEMORIAL DAY is honored by Clement R. Bonamps American Legion Post 139.



MAY

Gov. James Coleman Visits Bay St. Louis

Bear Five constable Herman J. Mazarakis arrested May 2 on extortion charges by Henry Kothmann, who was arrested May 1 by Mazarakis for possession of gambling devices and allowing minors to operate gambling device in Hwy. 90 cafe. Kothmann, found guilty May 5 by six-man jury, dropped charges against Mazarakis June 1. . . Attractive 18-year-old mother killed in Hwy. 90 auto accident, one of six separate traffic fatalities in Hancock County during year. . . Governor James P. Coleman May 12 presented outstanding citizen awards to Mrs. Vincent J. Piazza and William Kenny at St. Stanislaus banquet. . . Mississippi State Rating reclassified Bay St. Louis from 8th to 9th classification "due to inadequate water supply for fire protection."



GENE WALET, international sailing champion, again leads the way home with full sails.

JULY

\$165,000 Granted To Bay Public Schools

One killed, 16 injured in holiday accidents. . . \$10,000 honorarium awarded to Ray Steele, Waveland, destroyed by Mississippi Highway Patrol July 3. . . J. Willis High plans Bay of St. Louis all revenue. . . \$165,000 federal and state aid granted Bay St. Louis public schools by Mississippi Education and Finance Commission.



Elvis Presley in 'Brief' Visit to Bay St. Louis

A \$600,000 federal and state aid project in Hancock County neared the half-way mark of 89.9 miles of highway networks. . . Petition for a temporary injunction to halt issuance of \$50,000 street improvement bonds by city government was denied by Special Chancery Judge William P. Hewes at Gulfport. . . Elvis Presley made brief appearance at Hwy. 90 cafe, which ticked Bay St. Louis folks—"too brief". . . Rep. William Colmer took Hancock County in winning 13th term to Congress as representative of Mississippi's sixth district.



NATIONAL GUARDSMEN from Hancock County begin construction of quonset hut at Camp Shelby.

SEPTEMBER

Dale Morris Trial Again in Deadlock

Elvis Presley answered ticked Bay St. Louis go by stating he remembered late appointment and had to quickly leave Hwy. 90 cafe. . . Close to 4,000 students began school in Hancock County. . . Dale Morris again beat the death penalty when jury deadlocked in four-day trial Sept. 22, 9-3, for conviction. Earlier vote, 7-5. . .

Third attempt to halt issue of \$50,000 street bonds fails. . . Hurricane Flossy scared Hancock County residents Sept. 27 with last minute turns toward Mississippi, alerting all emergency units.



ARTHUR MILLER repays his thanks to the Hancock County Blood Bank with donation.



VETERANS DAY flag raising ceremony is held at Hancock County Court House.

OCTOBER

\$40,000 Old Peoples' Home Planned Here

John Rutherford elected chairman of board of Bay St. Louis Youth Center. . . Mississippi Highway Patrol cars swept into Hancock County Oct. 17 for two-day "Operation Attack", apprehending 23 traffic violators. . . Plans for \$40,000 Old Peoples' Home on Dunbar Ave., announced.



MOTHERS IN pre-game parade drumming up spirit for basketball game with daughters at SJA.

NOVEMBER

Hancock County Goes Republican First Time

Hancock County and Bay St. Louis go republican first time since Mississippi's early election in 1820. . . Nine-year-old Michael Allen Travica killed on Waveland's South Beach Blvd.. . . Marshall R. Young brings in third oil well Nov. 22 as J. Willis Hughes declared Bay of St. Louis venture "dry hole". . . Scare of strichine poisoning begins as eight dogs die in two days in six-block area—first of over thirty dog deaths through rest of year. . . Community Bargain Days begin Nov. 30 for one week.



CAROL SUE BANDORET, Hancock County's Forestry Queen, was also elected Bay High homecoming queen.

DECEMBER

\$250,000 More Annually To Retire Bridge Bonds

Coast Electric's "REA" Day held Dec. 8 with Secretary of State Heber Ladner guest speaker. . . Echo Printing Company opened at 202 N. Second St. and Dec. 21-Swa Coast Echo followed move, first move since opening in 1891 at 202 N. Beach Blvd.. . . Walter James Phillips said approximately \$250,000 more annually will be used to retire bonds on Bay St. Louis toll bridge.

**NOTICE
TO THE QUALIFIED DIRECTORS
OF SUPERVISORS' DISTRICT
FOUR, HANCOCK COUNTY,
MISSISSIPPI.**

In the Matter of the issuance of Road and Bridge Bonds of Supervisor's District No. 4 of Hancock County, Mississippi.

The Board of Supervisors took up for consideration the matter of issuing bonds of Supervisor's District No. 4 to raise money for the purpose of constructing, reconstructing, and repairing roads, highways, and bridges, and acquiring the necessary land, including land for road building materials, and rights of way, therefore, a discussion of the subject by the Board, Supervisor J. S. Shaw offered, and moved the adoption of the following resolution.

RESOLUTION DECLARING THE INTENTION OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI, TO ISSUE BONDS OF SUPERVISOR'S DISTRICT NO. 4 OF SAID COUNTY IN THE MAXIMUM PRINCIPAL AMOUNT OF SEVENTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$75,000) TO RAISE MONEY FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONSTRUCTING, RECONSTRUCTING AND REPAIRING ROADS, HIGHWAYS, AND BRIDGES, AND ACQUIRING THE NECESSARY LAND, INCLUDING LAND FOR ROAD BUILDING MATERIALS, AND RIGHTS OF WAY THEREFOR, AND DIRECTING PUBLICATION OF NOTICE OF SUCH INTENTION.

Whereas, this Board of Supervisors does now find and determine that it has become and is necessary to raise money for the purpose of constructing, reconstructing and repairing that certain road or highway extending from the Harrison County line through Kiln and extending on in a northward direction through the Leetown community to where said highway intersects the Necessaire - Caesar highway, said road being commonly known as the Pass Christian - Kiln - Picayune highway, excluding, however, from the existing Federal - State Aid Project No. S - 0104 (2B) and acquiring the necessary land including land for road building materials, and rights of way, therefore, in said District.

SECTION 1. That the Board of Supervisors of Hancock County, Mississippi, hereby declares its intention to issue bonds of Supervisor's District No. 4 of said County in the maximum principal amount of Seventy-five Thousand Dollars (\$75,000) to raise money for the purpose of constructing, reconstructing, and repairing that certain road or highway extending from the Harrison County line through Kiln and extending on in a northward direction through the Leetown community to where said highway intersects the Necessaire - Caesar highway, said road being commonly known as the Pass Christian - Kiln - Picayune highway, excluding, however, from the existing Federal - State Aid Project No. S - 0104 (2B) and acquiring the necessary land including land for road building materials, and rights of way, therefore, in said District.

SECTION 2. That the said bonds in the amount and for the purpose aforesaid will be issued at a meeting of said Board of Supervisors to be held at 10:00 o'clock A.M. on Monday, the 21st day of January, 1957, or at some meeting held subsequent thereto, if twenty per centum (20%) of the qualified electors of said District shall file a written protest against the issuance of said bonds on or before the aforesaid date and hour, then an election on the question of the issuance of said bonds shall be called and held as provided by law. If no such protest be filed, then the said bonds will be issued without an election of the issuance thereof.

SECTION 3. That this resolution shall be published once a week for at least three (3) consecutive weeks in the Sea Coast Echo, a newspaper published and of general circulation in Hancock County, Mississippi, and which is a qualified newspaper under the provisions of Chapter 427, Laws of Mississippi, 1948. The first publication of this resolution shall be made not less than twenty-one (21) days prior to the aforesaid date and the last publication shall be made not more than seven (7) days prior to the aforesaid date.

SECTION 4. That the Clerk of this Board shall be and is hereby directed to procure from the publisher of the aforesaid newspaper the customary proof of the publication of this resolution and to have the same before this Board on the date and hour specified in Section 2 hereof.

SECTION 5. That the Clerk of this board be and is hereby further authorized and directed to post copies of this resolution in at least three (3) public places within said District 4 said copies to be so posted at least twenty-one (21) days prior to the date specified in Section 2 hereof.

Supervisor Mrs. Samantha

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Kellar, seconded the motion to adopt the foregoing resolution, and the question being put to a roll call vote, the result was as follows:

Supervisor JACK LOTT voted AYE.

Supervisor J. S. SHAW voted AYE.

Supervisor MRS. SAMANTHA KELLAR voted AYE.

Supervisor CHARLES A. RUSS voted NAY.

Supervisor R. G. HUBBARD absent.

The motion having received the affirmative vote of three (3) of the members of the Board of Supervisors present, the President declared the motion carried and the resolution adopted, this 21st day of December, 1956.

A.C. MITCHELL, Clerk, Board of Supervisors Hancock County, Mississippi

12-21-46

Hancock Highway in Hancock County Mississippi has been fully and completely performed and final settlement thereunder has been made.

This notice is given under Section 9016, Mississippi Code of 1942, in pursuance of the authority conferred upon me by order of the Board of Supervisors of Hancock County, in Minute Book V, page 264.

Dated this 17th day of December, 1956.

A.C. MITCHELL, Clerk, Board of Supervisors Hancock County, Mississippi

12-17-46

NUE, NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA; and any and all other persons having or claiming any legal or equitable interest in and to the following described land, as-wit:

Lots 9 and 10, Paradise Point Subdivision, First Ward, City of Bay St. Louis, Hancock County, Mississippi, as per the official plan of said Subdivision, filed in the office of the Clerk of the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, on January 28, 1927, and recorded in Vol. D-O, page 363, Deed Records of Hancock County, Mississippi.

You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of Hancock, in said State, on the 23rd day of January, A. D. 1957, at 10:00 o'clock A. M. at the Courthouse at Gulfport, Harrison County Mississippi to defend the suit No. 7633, in said Court of MALVEN F. JONES.

The same being a suit to quiet and confirm complainant's title to said land above described where-in you are a defendant.

This 26th day of December A. D. 1956.

A. C. MITCHELL, Chancery Clerk

12-26-46

**MARINE REBEL
PLATOON FORMED**

Captain H. A. Commissary, Sr. Officer in Charge of Marine Corps recruiting in Mississippi announced today that an all-Mississippi Rebel platoon would be formed in January.

Current plans call for a Rebel platoon of 75 men to leave Jackson, Mississippi, for recruit training.

All young men interested in taking advantage of this one-time offer should see their local Marine Corps recruiter. Your Marine Corps recruiter is in Bay St. Louis every Thursday from ten o'clock until two P.M.

He is located at the Selective Service Office.

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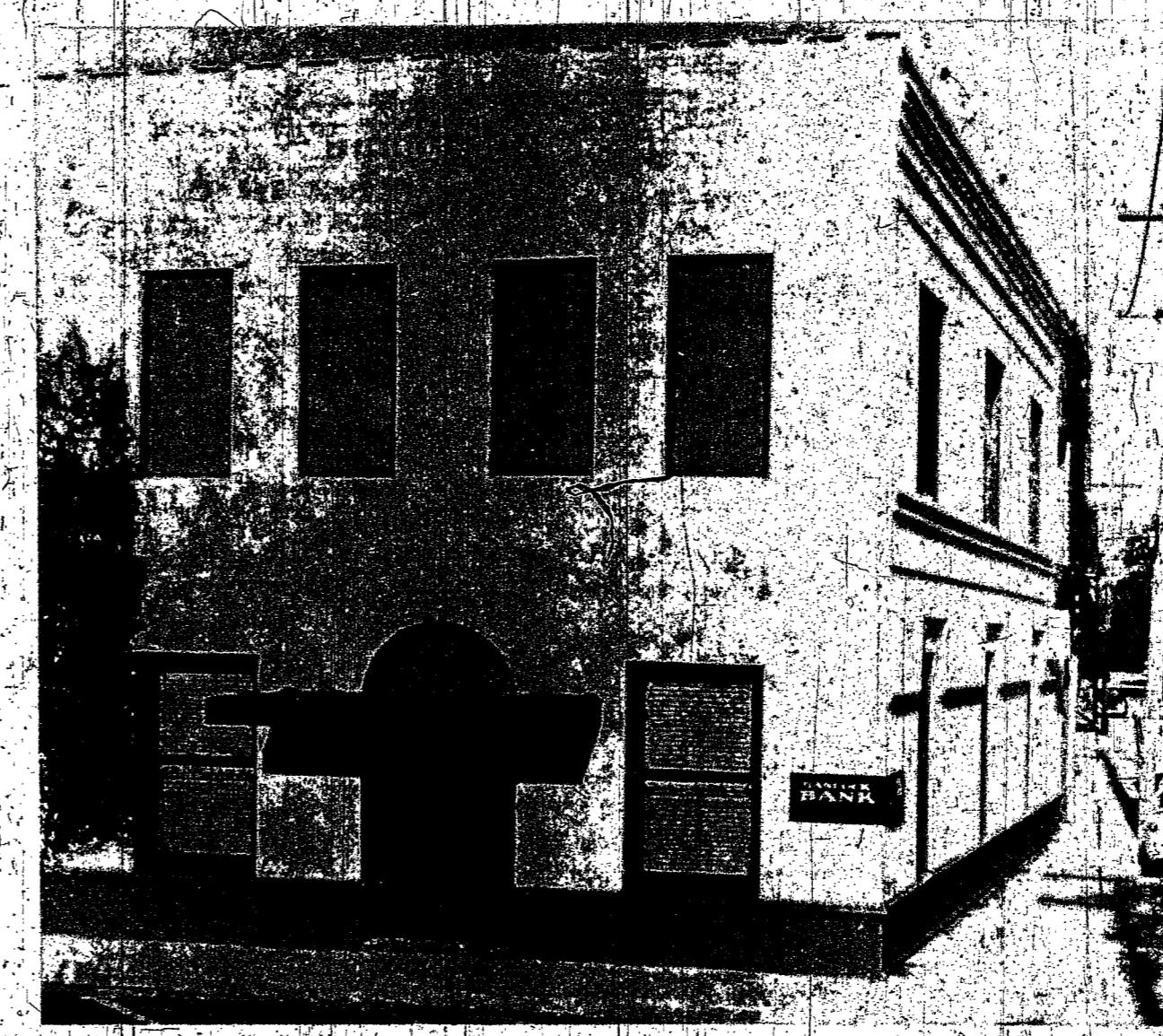
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Three Soviet citizens, officially invited to this country to observe the American presidential campaign and elections, were so impressed in seeing a land so fabulously rich that they scarcely believed in the reality of it.

With Russia's hungry satellites in armed revolt against a totalitarian tyranny and the Soviet itself apparently cracking at its seams, even a casual inventory of Communism's economic shortcomings would make a sorry showing compared to what American Capitalism has done for its people.

No economic system on earth can produce a record of equal achievement in its service to mankind. Under our Capitalistic System we have gained the greatest liberty; the most enduring security against violence, despotism and expropriation; and an abundance of life's blessings never before enjoyed by the common man.

To the common man, under Capitalism, have come the countless benefits of mass production and mass consumption which only a century ago were shared in less measure by royalty and the fortunate few who were rich.

What are the fruits of a Godless, classless Communism that enslaves men and impoverishes their spirits as well as their purses?

We should be inspired to testify freely in behalf of this American concept as we press on to the unfinished work of perfecting it in the service of mankind. Isn't it high time that all our schools and colleges, by-products of our prosperity, give pupil and student the true story of the Capitalistic concept, that has done so much to lift our living standards, improve our lot, promote our health and increase our happiness?

Thankful we should all be that our generation has lived to see and enjoy the harvest of a system that continues to startle the world with its handiwork.

Communism may be a fantastic scheme, promoted to beguile the gullible, but it could never produce for its proletariat one fraction of what American Capitalism has already delivered for the common man — by guaranteeing him through perpetuity his God-given individual independence and the countless opportunities that flow with human dignity, self-reliance, initiative and industry.

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Kiefer's Entertain Thursday Evening

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kiefer entertained at cocktails and a buffet supper Thursday evening at their home on Dunbar, inviting fifty guests to visit with their sons and their families who are visiting for the holidays. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kiefer and baby of Minneapolis, Minn.; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kiefer, Jr., Beaumont, Texas, and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Kiefer and family, Norco, La., have been spending the past week with their parents.

Cocktails were served on the patio of the spacious home where a brilliantly lighted Christmas tree stood. Holiday flower arrangements formed the decorations throughout the reception rooms.

An unusual arrangement of wine colored cherries, silvered foliage, and wine tapers formed the centerpiece for the dining table, where a delicious supper was served. The buffet held a beautiful arrangement of antique cutwork crystal lighted leaves and flowers.

LEGION AUX. JRS. HOLD YULE PARTY

The Junior Members of the American Legion Auxiliary held their annual Christmas party at the Legion Home on South Beach the afternoon of December 12. Christmas greens decorated the home for the occasion and Christmas carols and games provided entertainment for the girls party.

Prizes were won by Collette Zimmerman, who received a plastic Santa Claus filled with goodies; Sandra Gaynor, a decorated jar of red and green gum drops; and Jeanne Rutherford and Sandra Miller, Christmas cakes.

Each member was presented a Christmas corsage of a worried Santa Claus upon her arrival.

Santa Claus arrived to greet the guests and sat beneath the colorfully decorated tree to present each child with gifts of fruit, candy, and trinkets. Following the presentation of gifts, refreshments of fruit punch, candy and cake were served from a attractively decorated table, and the children were given favors of balloons and horns.

There were 57 juniors attending and Mrs. John Weathers was Chairman of this annual event.

Santa Greets Guests Of Joseph R. Scharff

A large lighted Santa Claus face covering the front door, greeted the guests as they arrived at the Joseph R. Scharff home on South Beach Friday evening when the Scharffs entertained about a hundred of their friends at cocktails. Mr. and Mrs. Scharff received in the living room and for the occasion, Mrs. Scharff wore a model of teal blue silk crepe, lavishly embroidered at the neckline and on the bodice with pearls and sequins.

Pink and blue pastel tones were used in all the decorations in the living room and dining room. Camellias in pink tones were placed in arrangements in the living room, along with winter garden flowers. In the dining room, the buffet held an unusually lovely arrangement of silver magnolia leaves interspersed with silvered pyracantha boughs.

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LEGION AUXILIARY AIDS POLIO DRIVE

American Legion Auxiliary junior members were urged to remember Blue Crutch Day, Saturday, Jan. 5. They are asked to meet at the Legion Home at nine a. m. to assist Auxiliary members with this project.

Mr. John Weathers, chairman for Junior activities, announced that eight Christmas scrapbooks and one Christmas scrapbook were delivered to the Children's ward of Memorial Hospital in Gulfport Co-Chairmen Mrs. Felicia Brown and Mrs. Lucille Luke.

The scrapbooks were made by Edna Bourgeois, Suzette Brown, Patsy Elliott, Melva Lee Luke, Pam Pfeifer, Charlotte Piazza, Nikki Romanoff, and Jeanne Rutherford. Edna Bourgeois constructed the Peep box.

Five stockings were filled with fruit, candy and trinkets, and were given to needy children. A doll and a stocking was given to a local child.

YACHT CLUB AUX. SLATE MEETING WED.

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Bay Waveland Yacht Club will meet at the club Wednesday, Jan. 9, at 11:00. Plans will be made for the monthly luncheon and all members are urged to attend.

Lakeshore Notes

Mrs. Iona LaFontaine won a lovely purse Sunday, and John Nease won a huge gotholier.

Mr. and Mrs. Arvine Garcia have started construction of their new home on the Ansley road.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Rutherford and 4 children were Sunday guests of Mrs. Rutherford's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester LaFontaine.

Mr. Armand Garcia is now in Hotel Dieu in New Orleans where he is seriously ill.

An urgent appeal is being sent out for the loan of a hospital bed for Elvin Garcia of Waveland.

If anyone has a hospital bed or knows of one, please call 619-7, and give your information to Mr. Garcia's father, who will arrange for it's delivery. Many thanks.

Mrs. Elvin Garcia wishes to thank all who attended the benefit for Mr. Garcia in Lakeshore, Sunday. Winners were Eldridge Garcia, John Asher, C. E. Fricke and Lawrence Casco.

Irvin Green, son of Mrs. Malcolm Green, has been ill for a week with asthma.

Our sympathy is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Lutsch who lost their new born son after living only a few days.

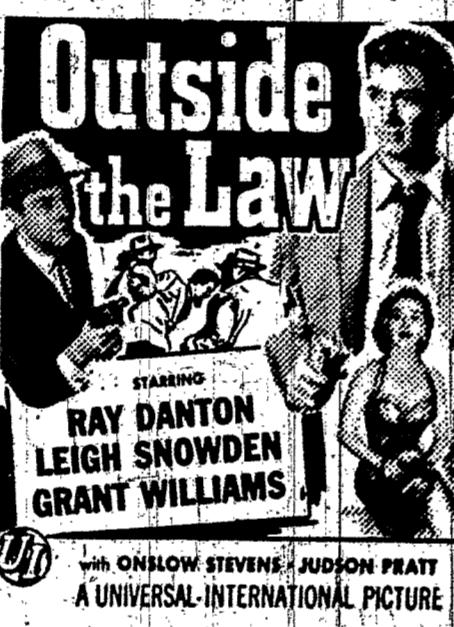
Mr. and Mrs. Victor Schwartz came down from the Rigolets, for the weekend, accompanied by their son "Pistol" and their daughter Lydia and her young son.

Don't try to whip homogenized cream. It may look rich and have a heavy body, but it's almost impossible to obtain a stable foam.

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Waveland Notes

Many thanks to Mrs. Schermer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Schermer, of New Orleans, La., are visiting Mrs. Schermer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Jenkins are spending the holidays in Memphis, Tenn., with Mr. Jenkins' parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Schweizer and children, Linda Ann, Jackie, and Walter, spent Christmas in Texas.

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Games were played during the afternoon with Walter Chamberlain and Chuck Wagner winning prizes. A picnic luncheon was served by Mrs. O'Neal, followed by birthday cake and ice cream.

Ladies enjoyed a matinee at a local movie. Among those present were Buddy Langurand, Bob Whitfield, Ted Chishman, Walter Chamberlain, Chuck Wagner, and Dick Watts.

Master W. Price has been released from Touro Infirmary, where he recently underwent surgery.

Miss Jo Rennacker of New Orleans, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Vicki Bourgeois, Sr., and son, Vicki, Jr.

Holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bourgeois were Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Bourgeois, and Mr. and Mrs. Morris Bourgeois of New Orleans; Mr. and Mrs. Lakota Bourgeois, Melisa Park, New Mexico; and Mrs. Ray Michael Bourgeois, Corpus Christi, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Off Brockman and daughters, Peggy and Christy, of Hattiesburg, and Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Brockman, Jr., of Gulfport, were holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Brockman, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bourgeois and sons, New Orleans, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bourgeois.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank LaRocca and daughter, Cindy, spent the holidays with Mrs. Lakocca's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Turner Soldini.

J. Price has been

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an old favorite and on

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Barbecued Spare ribs. Slimmer the table kind, eliminates extra dish

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Barbecued Ribs for Dinner Tonight

2 to 4 pounds spare ribs

1 cup V-X (2 cups cans

cup chopped onion

2 tablespoons brown sugar

1 tablespoon Worcester sauce

1 teaspoon salt

Cut spare ribs into serving-size

pieces, brown slowly in a heavy

skillet. (No fat is needed.) Add re-

maining ingredients. Cover, simi-

lar about 1 hour or until spare ribs

are done. At the end of cooking

time, it may be necessary to re-

move cover to evaporate some to

desired consistency. Makes 4 to 6

servings.

Enhance the spare ribs with a creamy salad, perhaps with a blue cheese dressing. The dessert and apple crisp are again most delightful and inexpensive during the holidays. Cut the apples and brown sugar, bake and serve with lemon custard sauce.

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CELERY-SAUSAGE STUFFING

Here's a daily new stuffing recipe to round out your holiday bird. Brown one-half pound sausage in a skillet, stirring to break it up. Add 1 cup chopped onion and fry until tender. Blend the sausage and onion into 8 cups of brown cubes. Stir 1 can (1 1/2 cups) of condensed cream of celery soup until smooth. Mix lightly with other ingredients. Recipe makes enough stuffing for a 4 to 5 pound bird.

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Miss Marlene Egloff Becomes Bride Of Henry Logan of Pass Christian

A prominent wedding of the Christmas season was that on Saturday of Miss Marlene Marie Egloff, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Alfred Egloff, to Mr. Henry Byrne Logan, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Edward Logan, Sr., of Pass Christian. Our Lady of the Gulf Catholic Church was the setting for the Nuptial Mass performed at nine o'clock in the morning, by the Rt. T. Rev. Michael McCarthy, pastor of the church.

The altar of the church was decorated with tall golden vases filled with white gladioli and white pom pom chrysanthemum blossoms interspersed with greenery. Potted palms formed a lovely background for the double ring rites.

Preceding the ceremony, Professor A. Hammersbach, church organist, presented a program of nuptial music, including selections from Mendelssohn and Schubert. Conrad Mauffray sang Schubert's "Ave Maria", "Pange Angelicus", "Oh, Perfect Love", and "Oh, Lord, I Am Not Worthy" during the ceremony. The traditional wedding marches were played for the processional and recessional.

The petite blonde bride was escorted to the altar by her father and wore a formal bridal gown of white delustered satin and Chantilly lace. The bodice of the gown was of lace and featured long sleeves, ending in cable points. The Sabrina neckline was softly scalloped and lavishly embroidered with tiny pearls. The flowing skirt of the gown, worn over hoops, was of satin with lace inserts in deep points along the bottom and fell into a cathedral train. Her finger tip veil of silk illusion was attached to a French bonnet of lace and satin, scalloped in the front and trimmed with net fluting and pearls. She carried a satin muff, topped with a bouquet of imported Australian orchids and lilies of the valley, and also her only jewelry, small pearl earrings.

Miss Janelle Egloff was her sister's maid of honor and the bridesmaids were the Misses Mildred and Ann Logan, sisters of the bridegroom, Pass Christian; Miss Mary Staehle, Bay St. Louis; Miss Elouise Black, Greenville, Alabama; Miss Frances Winstead, Gulfport, a cousin of the bride; and Miss Marian Egloff, another sister of the bride. Their dresses were made identically of forest green, iridescent, taffeta patio length. The necklines were pointed in the front and back and trimmed with a double fold of the material. Moss green velvet sashes encircled their waists and tied in large bows in back, with the streamers reaching the hemlines of the gowns. They carried matching velvet muffs topped with cymbidium orchids and wore bands of taffeta and velvet leaves in their hair.

Little Misses Byrne Hardie, New Orleans and Patricia Polkinghorne, Port Barrie, La., were flower girls. Their dresses of formal length were of the same material and style as those of the bridesmaids. They carried old fashioned bouquets of bronze and gold pompon chrysanthemums.

A brother of the bridegroom, Charles Logan, was best man. The other attendants were William Logan, Jr., Lafayette, La.; Gene Tarzetti, Delisle; Gordon Mills, Armandville, La.; Robert Parker, Pass Christian; Leonard Benvenuti, Bay St. Louis; with Hartwell Gex, Jessie Allrest, Keith Hardie, New Orleans, and Karl Polkinghorne, Port Barrie, La., serving as ushers. All the men in the wedding party wore formal morning attire.

The Hotel Reed was the setting for the large reception which followed the religious rites. The lobby, sunroom and dining room of the hotel were decorated in the Holiday motif, with a large



MRS. HENRY BYRNE LOGAN

Hover - Smith Wedding At Napoleon Church Sat.

Miss Dossie Ann Hover, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Hover, and Rupert Ray Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alphonse Smith, all of Napoleon, were married Saturday evening, Dec. 22, at 7:30 in the evening at the Napoleon Baptist Church, with the Rev. Wilman Fordham, officiating at the double ring rites in the presence of a large number of friends and relatives.

Baskets of white chrysanthemums and white gladioli adorned the altar, which was lighted with tall, white candles. Ivy and potted greenery formed a background for the ceremony.

Mrs. Kenneth Murphy, organist, played a program of nuptial music preceding the entrance of the young couple who were assisted in receiving by their mothers and members of the wedding party. Mrs. Hover selected for her daughter's wedding a midnight blue silk crepe made on simple lines, worn with white accessories and a corsage of pale pink carnations. The groom had as his best man, Rupert Breland, and as groomsman, Will Morris. The ushers were Dama Murphy and David Hover.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents where the young couple were assisted in receiving by their mothers and members of the wedding party.

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The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a French blue suit of wool, accented with pink accessories. Her tiny hat was of pink and was lavishly beaded and sequined. She carried a white bride's Bible topped with a single purple orchid.

The sister of the bride, Mrs. Wilman Fordham, served as her matron of honor and wore a two piece woolen model of beige. Her hat was of white velour with gold trim and she wore a shoulder corsage of rose carnations. Mrs. Christine Sweetser, a sister

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PICTURED ABOVE IS AN INVITATION received by Mr. and Mrs. Leo W. Seal, Mr. and Mrs. Dan M. Russell, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Gregory, and Mr. and Mrs. Wilson W. Webley inviting them to attend the Inaugural Ball following the Inauguration of President Eisenhower in Washington January twenty-first.

'Rip' Terrell Named PCYC Commodore

J. W. "Rip" Terrell was elected commodore of the Pass Christian Yacht Club by the newly elected governing board. He was commodore of the club in 1949 and 1950.

Dr. C. D. Taylor was elected vice-commodore and retiring commodore J. Barkley Witherspoon automatically became rear commodore.

Other members of the governing board for 1957 are Capt. Burrus Wood, USN (retired); Harry Whitteman, Gordon Bishop, Leslie P. Beard, W. J. Curran, H. H. Hillire, Jr., John M. Parker, Jr., Ann Liversidge, Sam Jeffcoat and Herbert Hanson.

PASS ELECTION

Pass Christian alderman adopted an ordinance at a Wednesday meeting providing United Gas Corp. a franchise to operate in the city.

In return United Gas will pay the city two per cent of its gross sales.

A special election will be held Jan. 15.

RUNS AWAY

Two run away boys were apprehended by authorities here Sunday, one from San Lorenzo, Calif., and the other from Biloxi.

According to Sheriff Sylvan J. Ladner, a 17-year-old California lad made Bay St. Louis his 8th spot for as many runaways while a 12-year-old from Biloxi was making this his 18th.

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FOR SALE - Room divider or bar - space for storage. Phone 206 1/4/11

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

Lt. and Mrs. Charles Traub III announce the birth of their second son, Paul Gregory, born Dec. 21, at Pearl Harbor, T.H. The child weighed 8 lbs and 8 1/2 ounces and is the great-grandchild of CAPT. Traub and great-nephew of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Traub.

FOR RENT - - 2 and 3 bedroom unfurnished houses for rent \$35. a month and up. McDonald Realty Co., Phone 37.

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From this date, Dec. 28, 1, Roger Farve, will no longer be responsible for any debts contracted by my wife, Mrs. Roger Farve, Bay St. Louis. 1/4/41

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